

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA**

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Investment in Renewable Energy Sector
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether investments in renewable energy sector has declined sharply;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor, sector-wise;
- (c) the extent to which it has affected the production output of the sector; and
- (d) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to increase the investment in the renewable energy sector?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (d) : No Madam,

As per the United Nations Environment Programme and Bloomberg New Energy Finance joint report titled "Global Trends in Renewable Energy Investment 2016" the investment in renewable energy sector in India for the year 2013, 2014, and 2015 was US \$6.6, US\$ 8.3 and US\$10.2 billion respectively with Foreign Direct Investment increasing from US\$ 4.14 billion in 2013-14 to US\$ 7.76 billion in 2015-16.
